MR. C. KUMARA DAS (*Director of Industries and Labour Commissioner*): (*a*) The Rubber Factory is not working now. The work was stopped on 20th March 1938.

(*b*) The total amount invested by Government up to the end of Medam 1115 is Rs. 4,45,018-1-11.

(*c*) Rs. 3,87,488.

(*d*) Messrs. The Travancore Cables and Rubbers, Limited. Rs. 27,793-11-6.

(*e*) The terms of agreement relating to the payment of rent are:—

The Lessee shall during the said period pay the Lessor the following rents

(1) Four percent (4%) interest on the capital expenditure.

(2) Two and a half per cent (2½%) on the actual cost of the buildings towards depreciation.

(3) Three per cent (3%) on the actual cost of the machinery towards depreciation.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: May I know from Government the steps taken by Government for the realisation of Rs. 27,793-11-6?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS: We have got some of the materials of the company and we hope to recover the amount from the value of the materials.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: May I know the approximate value of the materials?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS: They are reported to be of a value somewhere near a lakh of rupees.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELYUDHN PILLAI: May I know the steps taken for the realisation of the amount?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS: No steps have been taken, but it may be remembered that the materials are under our custody.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: May I know the reason why no steps have been taken?

PRESIDENT: Because nobody else can take away those materials. We have to value it and take it.

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI (*Changancherry* cum *Peermade*): May I know what are the materials?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS: They are mostly chemicals.

Dispensary at Vadakkekara in Parur taluk.

250. ***MR. JOSEPH VITHAYATHIL** (*Kunnatnad* cum *Parur*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they have enquired into the necessity for opening a dispensary at Vadakkekara in Parur taluk; and

(*b*) what steps, if any, they have taken in the matter?

VAIDYASASTRAKUSALA DR. (MRS.) M. POONEN LUKOSE (*Surgeon-General*): (*a*) and (*b*) The matter is under correspondence with the Tahsildar, Parur.

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